

GREAT CROWDS CHEER "FALL OF DUBLIN CASTLE"

DISABLED VETERANS URGE HARDING ACT TO HELP COMRADES

Care Accorded Mentally Disabled is Scored in Memorial.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Jan. 16.—Asserting that the more than 3,500 mentally disabled former service men now placed in private institutions were victims of such "gross negligence, indifference and profligating" as constituted a "black reproach on the honor of the nation," the Disabled American Veterans of the World War in a memorial presented today to President Harding urged immediate action by the government looking to treatment of all such cases. Neglect of these cases in state institutions, the memorial said, is committing to permanent insanity many of the victims who by timely treatment probably could be cured.

Describing the condition of "contract cases" in the state of Ohio as typical of those in "practically every state," the memorial asserted the government had "framed out the insane ex-service men to the Ohio state asylums, crowded, under-manned and is adequately equipped to treat and care for them, while it has not provided one federal institution for this purpose in the state."

"For example," the memorial said, "in the Longview asylum of Hamilton county, Ohio, there are 42 gallant soldiers who broke down mentally under the stress of war, although Longview is so overcrowded that 240 of the inmates sleep on the floor like cattle every night."

Of the 250 mentally disabled placed in all the institutions of the state, of whom, it was said physicians believe, might be cured by treatment, not one, the memorial asserted, was receiving "medical treatment of any kind for the mental diseases and curable cases are being daily doomed to permanent insanity."

None of the institutions, it was further asserted, segregate their tubercular patients.

Charges Big Profit.

An average profit of \$300 on each patient out of the \$547.50 annual maintenance fee paid by the government was shown in the figures for the nine institutions of the state cited in the memorial. It was asserted that the profit per man ranged from \$276.66 for the Athens State Hospital to \$320.93 for the Institution for Feeble Minded.

In hundreds of cases, it was asserted, relatives are refusing to commit mentally disabled veterans, who might be restored to useful citizenship, to conditions in the "contract" asylums, most of which, the memorial said, are "nothing more than lock-ups."

To make adequate provision for the treatment of all mental cases in federal institutions, the organization urged that the President use his influence in securing early action by congress on the pending measure to appropriate \$15,000,000 for this purpose, citing the report of the special Senate committee that 4,375 more beds were urgently needed, beyond what will be provided by existing appropriations.

Urges Supervision.

During the two years or more before federal facilities could be increased to take care of all cases, the memorial urged that "infinitely more rigid supervision" of "contract" institutions be provided by the Veterans' Bureau and that to cooperate in this an independent commission of former service men be appointed in each state. It further recommended that every institution receiving money from the government for the care of disabled soldiers and sailors "be required to spend every dollar received for the benefit of such soldiers and sailors exclusively."

Establishment of government dispensaries, part of the emergency system for treatment of mental cases and acceptance of the government in organizing a program of community social services to cooperate in that work also was urged.

Henry Cork Passed Away Sunday Night

Henry Cork passed away at the Dixon hospital last evening at 7 o'clock, following an illness of about three months with a complication of ailments. The deceased was born in Cumberland, Pa., about 66 years ago, coming to Dixon and vicinity about 30 years ago, where he has since resided. He was taken to the hospital a week ago, but his condition was such that he continued to fail until death ended his sufferings Saturday night. No known relatives survive. The funeral will be held from the Jones funeral home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Lloyd W. Walter officiating and with burial in Oakwood.

AGREEMENT BY JAPAN, CHINA IS MADE KNOWN

Arms Conference May Make Big Progress This Week.

BULLETIN
Washington, Jan. 16.—(By the Associated Press)—The text of the agreement reached by the Chinese and Japanese delegates on Saturday, concerning the surrender by Japan of the Kiao-Chow leasehold to China, was formally accepted by the two delegations today when the Shantung conversations were resumed.

The question of all mines along the railroad and in Kiao-Chow was touched upon in today's meeting but the discussion was not finished and will be continued at a session tomorrow.

Washington, Jan. 16.—(By the Associated Press)—Still awaiting the receipt by the Japanese delegation of its instructions from Tokyo, which are expected to permit completion of the naval limitation treaty, the arms conference today prepared to turn again to the study of far eastern and Pacific questions.

The delegations of the nine powers participating in the discussions of those questions were called to meet at 3:30 o'clock in the first session to be held by that portion of the conference since Jan. 5. Prior to the meeting the heads of the delegations of the five naval powers held another session and the American delegation met.

The meeting of the far eastern committee was called, according to the understanding at the Chinese delegation headquarters for the purpose of passing on the final draft of the Chinese tariff agreement. The question of the 21 demands in the opinion of the Chinese, would not come up at today's session nor was it believed other far eastern questions would be considered at this time.

Mrs. Mary J. Devlin Died Saturday Night

Mrs. Mary J. Devlin, widow of the late James Devlin, who for many years resided at 106 E. Boyd street, passed away Saturday evening at 6:30 at the home of Charles Lambert, 1623 W. Third street, where she had made her home for the past few months, death resulting from a stroke of paralysis with which she was stricken Saturday morning. Her condition grew rapidly worse and death ended her suffering in the evening.

She leaves one son, John J. Devlin, of Portland, Oregon, one niece, Miss Ellen Mallon, of New York City, and a number of nieces and nephews in Ireland. Also Thos. and Helen Larkin, who she so kindly mothered since the death of their parents, when they were small children.

Funeral services will be conducted from Jones Funeral Home Wednesday morning at 9:30 and from St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock, with burial at Oakwood.

Attempt to Murder Ex-Legion Officer

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 15.—An attempt to assassinate Dr. Lindsay T. Vinson, at one time coroner of Cabell county and former commander of the Huntington post of the American Legion, was made last night, the authorities announced when 5 shots were fired at him through the window of his home, while he sat reading.

One bullet penetrated his coat sleeve and another knocked a magazine from his hand. Bloodhounds lost the trail at a street car stopping point.

Australia to Give Wheat to Starving

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Melbourne, Jan. 16.—Aid to the extent of \$250,000 in Australian supplies, principally wheat, to be shipped from Australian stores already in Great Britain, is to be extended to the starving peoples of Europe by the commonwealth government.

R. & A. M. TONIGHT

A stated meeting of Dixon Council No. 7 R. & A. M. will be held at Masonic hall this evening. The feature of the meeting will be degree work.

WEATHER

MONDAY, JAN. 16, 1922.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago and vicinity:—Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature tonight with lowest about 22; moderate to fresh southwest to west winds.

Illinois:—Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature tonight and in southeastern portion Tuesday.

FIRST PIRACY SINCE VOLSTEAD ACT REPORT FROM BILOXI, MISS.

Two Sailors' Bodies on Beach Give Basis to Theory.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Biloxi, Miss., Jan. 16.—Discovery of two bodies of men, apparently foreign sailors on steamers, on the beach here, has led to ten arrests by the local police, who assert the men were killed in a fight which followed an attempt last week to hold up and raid a liquor-smuggling schooner at anchor near the coast.

The police theory, if substantiated, will disclose what is said to be the first instance of attempted piracy in connection with the rum-running on the Atlantic Coast.

About the middle of last week, according to the police, a Cuban fishing smack, rum laden, dropped anchor in the vicinity of Dog Keys, and the captain made an agreement for a party of Biloxians to come to the smack in gasoline launches to carry the liquor to the main land.

On Friday night, police assert, the party made the trip to the boat, but instead of paying for the liquor, they overcame the crew of the fishing smack, and brought about 100 cases of liquor here. Most of the liquor had been seized, the police declare.

What became of the foreign boat after the fight in outside waters, is not known. The police believe that the two bodies washed ashore were members of her crew.

Lee Center Man is Arrested; Wife is Complaining Witness

Sheriff Frank Schoenholtz and Deputy Robert Phillips were called to the village of Lee Center yesterday afternoon where Deputy Sheriff Swan Sandberg had placed under arrest, William McAllister, aged 51, a resident of the village. McAllister was charged by his wife with having beat her while he was in an intoxicated condition. When taken in charge by the officers, the man was found to be carrying a quart bottle of liquor.

McAllister was brought to Dixon and placed in the county jail pending a hearing on a charge of assault and battery preferred by his wife. He will also be prosecuted on a charge of transporting liquor on a public highway.

Savanna Man Buys Snow White Bakery

Late Saturday afternoon William Lempey of Savanna, Ill., purchased the Snow White Bakery on First street from Perry & Hill of Freeport. The new proprietor is now in charge of the business. He will be assisted by his wife in the management of the business. Mr. Lempey owned for years a bakery at Savanna, Ill., having disposed of that business some weeks ago. He is a native of Janesville, Wis., but has "made" Dixon on business for the past twenty-five years. There will be no changes made in the personnel of the force.

Amboy Man Gets 30 Days in Co. Jail for Stealing Coal

James Gilmore, of Amboy, who was arrested last week for stealing coal from the Illinois Central railroad yards, pleaded guilty to a petit larceny charge in the county court late Saturday afternoon and was sentenced to serve 30 days in the county jail by Judge John B. Crabtree.

Anticipate Some Trouble in Colo.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Denver, Colo., Jan. 16.—Ten members of the Colorado State Rangers under command of Captain O. L. Dennis, left Denver today for Routt county, where, according to reports from county authorities coal miners are threatening trouble as a result of recently announced wage reductions.

No Decisions By Supreme Court

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Jan. 16.—Decision day in the supreme court today brought forth no decisions, several orders only being noted.

SANG DUET.

Dr. and Mrs. Willard Thompson sang a duet during the services at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

WELL DONE, GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT



National Magazine Recognizes Skill of a Dixon Hunter

True worth must be recognized. It may pass unnoticed for a time, but not forever. Our genial and popular telephone man, Louis Pitcher, has at last broken into the national limelight. Exhibit A is the January number of "Outers' Recreation," a sporting magazine of nation-wide circulation, which prints a half page picture of the Dixon man, standing, gun in hand, behind three big deer that had fallen to his deadly marksmanship. A story several pages long accompanies the striking illustration, which is captioned "Three Deer in Three Shots."

The picture was taken on a hunt in the north woods when the Dixon man performed this remarkable feat, probably unequalled in the annals of American sport.

The editor of the magazine seems to think that Louis never misses, and that when he squirts along his gun barrel the game is as good as in the bag. But the magazine editor should go duck hunting with our local telephone man. The stunt with the three deer is but child's play compared with the performance of Mr. Pitcher in a duck blind. We are told by his friends that when he goes duck hunting he never takes more than fifteen shells because it is against the law to kill more than fifteen ducks in any one day, so what's the use of being loaded down with a lot of extra shells?

May Get Jurors to Try "Fatty" Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire
San Francisco, July 16.—The second week of the second trial of Roscoe C. Arbuckle, film comedian, accused of manslaughter growing out of the death at a hotel party here last September of Miss Virginia Rappé, opened in superior court today.

Completion of the jury was expected before the end of the day. 11 prospective jurors—2 women and 9 men—having been temporarily accepted by both sides and defense at the close of the first week's activities on Saturday.

Athletics to Play First Game in Big Tourney This Eve

The Dixon Athletics will go to Morrison this evening where they will play the opening game of the tournament which is being held in that city today and tomorrow. The Athletics will meet Morrison this evening and another runner up in the basketball tournament tomorrow evening. A number of local fans are planning to attend the tournament.

Says Australia is in Great Condition

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Sydney, Australia, Jan. 16.—With only approximately \$250,000,000 in notes backed up by one of the biggest gold reserves in the world, Australia today occupies one of the strongest financial positions in the world, according to Sir Henry Braddon, former commissioner for Australia to the United States.

NO ACTION IN SUIT AGAINST EX-TREASURERS

Sangamon Co. Judge Will Not Allow It This Term.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 16.—Declaring he wanted to avoid the possibility of influencing Judge Edwards of Lake County, who is hearing the criminal case against Governor Small, Circuit Judge E. S. Smith of Sangamon county this morning announced that no further action in the civil suits against five former State Treasurers would be had until the Lake county case is concluded.

"This court," Judge Smith ruled from the bench, "will not hear arguments on, or render any decision on questions of the validity of the treasurers' act, powers or duties of the treasurers thereunder; or on any of the controverted contentions that are common to the criminal case that is pending in Lake county, or to the civil cases pending in this county, while the criminal case is pending."

Moonshine Exploded; One Man Was Killed

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Jan. 15.—Henry Boyd was burned to death last night when fumes from a bottle believed to contain moonshine, which caught fire, causing the bottle to explode and setting fire to furniture in the room. The man was taken a drink from the bottle and then had sat down beside a stove, holding the bottle in his hand.

\$866 Per Acre for Land Near the City

Frank Benson, local real estate man, announces the sale of three acres of land on South Peoria avenue, near the city limits, known as the Mulkins Tract, at the average price of \$866 per acre. There are no buildings or improvements of any kind on the land. Chris J. Johnson is the buyer and it is understood that the tract is to be divided into building lots.

Methodists of Lee Co. Meet in Dixon Thursday for Study

Ministers and members of the congregations of the various Methodist churches in Lee county will hold their annual meeting Thursday in Dixon at the Methodist church.

These meetings are called by Dr. Thomas Gale, district superintendent, and programs of unusual interest are given. The meeting in the afternoon is especially for the ministers. At 6:30 o'clock the ladies of the local church will serve a supper, and at 7:30 o'clock Dr. Terrell, of Chicago, will deliver his illustrated lecture, "Our Work Over Seas." This lecture will be very entertaining and instructive and should be heard by many people.

Every Methodist church in the county will send several delegates.

Need \$150,000 Fund to Help U. S. Indians

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Jan. 16.—An immediate appropriation of \$150,000 is needed for the relief of destitute Indians, President Harding today informed congress. Declaring that the situation is so critical that it would be "unsafe to delay action, he urged prompt passage of a resolution authorizing the expenditure."

"Failure of last year's crop in many territories and industrial stagnation" were given as the main causes of destitution among Indians, by Indian Commissioner Burke, in a report which was forwarded to Speaker Gillett by the President. Indians on thirty reservations are in dire need, Commissioner Burke said.

Local Parties' Case in Ogle Co. Circuit Court This Afternoon

Judge Harry Edwards, Sheriff Frank Schoenholtz and Deputy Robert Phillips went to Oregon this morning. Judge Edwards is presiding at the January term of the Ogle county circuit court. Sheriff Schoenholtz and Deputy Phillips are witnesses in the case of James Cledon vs. Edwin Barlow, both of this city, which will come before Judge Edwards for hearing this afternoon.

Three Peoria Girls Reported Missing

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Peoria, Ill., Jan. 16.—Police and sheriff officers of every city in the state are searching for three Peoria girls who simultaneously disappeared from their homes here in the past 48 hours.

LIQUOR CASES TO BE TRIED IN CO. COURT

Mattie Parker Pleaded Guilty; Others Gave Bonds.

All of the bootlegging cases resulting from the raid of last Tuesday night under direction of State's Attorney Mark C. Keller are to be heard in county court. It was announced this morning Miss Mattie Parker, colored, went into the county court Saturday afternoon at a late hour and pleaded guilty to a charge of selling liquor and upon the recommendation of State's Attorney Mark C. Keller, was fined \$100 and costs by Judge John B. Crabtree.

Others taken in the raid of Tuesday night appeared in county court this morning and furnished bonds for the continuance of their cases. A trial list will be made up in the court and the individual cases set for hearing.

Murderer of Mayor of Thomson 20 Years Ago Has Made Escape

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Savanna, Ill., Jan. 16.—William ("Billy") Myers, who was serving a life sentence in the insane ward of the Chester penitentiary for the murder of Mayor Wayland Bennett of Thomson nearly 20 years ago, has escaped.

Myers was sentenced from Mount Carroll in 1901. At the time of his sentence he declared that he would return some day to "get" the man responsible for his conviction. He was considered a helpless cripple and insane. The murder was one of the most brutal ever committed in this vicinity.

American Troops in Switzerland; Given Conduct By the Govt.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Bern, Switzerland, Jan. 16.—The company of troops from the American forces in Germany, on its way to Italy to take part in the ceremonies incident to the bestowal of the American Congressional Medal of Honor on the Italian unknown soldier by Major General Henry T. Allen on January 15, arrived today at Basel.

"The rifles and all other arms of the detachment were placed in a separate baggage car there, as required by the Swiss authorities in granting permission for the troops to cross this country. The Americans then proceeded on their way to Rome, under the supervision of Colonel Bardet of the Swiss army."

Gives Cuba Permit to Negotiate Loan

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Jan. 16.—The American government has notified Cuba she may negotiate a loan of \$5,000,000 in the United States, but that the conclusion of the further loan of \$50,000,000 suggested by Cuba will depend on the ability of the island authorities to reduce further the Cuban budget. It was said today at the State Department.

Decision to permit the loan was based on a report of conditions in Cuba made by Major General Enrich H. Crowder, special representative of the American government, who has been in Cuba supervising work on the Cuban budget. General Crowder was understood to have reported promises by the Cuban government that expenses in the island would be made to meet income.

Women of Illinois Organize New Party

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 16.—A new political party, to be called the "Roosevelt Progressive Party," and run entirely by women, filed incorporation papers today with Secretary of State Emerson. The incorporators are Chicago and Oak Park women.

The corporation certificate says the new party will nominate or support candidates "who are not subject to domination by 'invisible governments' or to the control, dictation or domination of 'political bosses'."

Hope Abandoned for 3 Entombed Miners

Seranton, Pa., Jan. 16.—Although one hundred rescuers have been digging through the debris, no trace has yet been found of the three men caught last Friday in the cave-in at the National Mine of the Glen Alden Coal Company. Hope that the missing employees are alive practically has been abandoned.

Seward E. Butts, chief of the state mine bureau, and four inspectors effected the rescuing work on Saturday and yesterday.

GOVERNMENTAL POWERS IN IRELAND ARE NOW IN CABINET'S HANDS

Transfer of Authority Made at Dublin Castle Today.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Dublin, Jan. 16.—(By the Associated Press)—The governmental powers for Ireland, as vested in the British authorities at Dublin Castle, was turned over today to the provisional government of Ireland, as constituted last Saturday under the Anglo-Irish treaty. The transfer was made by Viscount Fitzalan, the Lord Lieutenant in the privy council chamber. "Fall of Dublin Castle"

The Viceroy this morning awaited a telephone message in the Viceroys Lodge, announcing that the new ministry had arrived at the castle, but not until 1:28 o'clock this afternoon did the cheers of the crowd outside announce the arrival of Michael Collins, Prof. John McNeill, P. J. Hogan, Joseph McGrath, Jevon O'Higgins and William Cosgrave. Immediately afterward Viscount Fitzalan, with two aides, arrived and they all proceeded to the Privy Council chamber where the transfer of powers was effected.

From an early hour all approaches to the castle were blocked by good humored crowds watching for what was described as the "fall of Dublin Castle." The lower castle yard was an animated scene of visitors, journalists and photographers. The metropolitan police dealt in a friendly manner with all comers and the auxiliaries in uniform watched the proceedings from their old quarters, where they had examined so many arrested Sinn Feiners.

Troops Guard Area of \$250,000 Fire

Mexia, Tex., Jan. 16.—Clearing away of debris from Saturday night's fire, which destroyed seven two-story buildings on Commerce Street here, was begun today. The estimated property loss was \$250,000. National Guardsmen and Texas Rangers, sent here to enforce martial law, proclaimed on Thursday.

Not in his campaign to rid Mexia and the adjacent oil fields of alleged law breakers, maintained guard over the burned area during the night to prevent possible looting of merchandise of all descriptions which filled the down town streets.

Congressman Seeks Hitchcock's Seat

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Jan. 16.—Representative Albert W. Jefferies of the second Nebraska district today formally announced his candidacy for the republican nomination for the United States senate. He will seek the seat occupied by Senator Hitchcock, Democrat, whose present term expires on March 4, 1923. Mr. Jefferies lives in Omaha. He is an attorney and is serving his second term in congress.

Conference of Rail Heads and Unions On

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Jan. 16.—Conference between railroad executives and leaders of railway employees unions which have been inaugurated under the direction of Secretary Hoover, with a view to eliminate disagreements and controversies, were resumed today with executives representing the principal roads of the country in attendance along with heads of the four brotherhoods.

Start Harvesting of Ice in Dixon Today

Harvesting of natural ice from Rock River was started today by the Dixon Pure Ice Co. The ice is of fine quality and thickness and the company anticipates to ship an exceptionally large amount from this city in addition to filling its big ice houses, the capacity of which has been greatly increased.

Pave Way for "Dirt Farmer" on Board

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Jan. 16.—Creation of an additional director of the Federal Reserve Board, so as to pave the way for the appointment of a "dirt farmer" by the president is proposed in a substitute amendment to the federal reserve act offered today by Senator Kellogg, republican, of Minnesota, author of the original farmer amendment.

Society

Tuesday

Joint Installation Dixon Post, and Auxiliary, Dixon Relief Corps—K. C. Hall.
Practical Club—Mrs. H. A. Ahrens, 319 Peoria Ave.
Auxiliary to Dixon Commandery—Masonic Hall.
Baldwin Auxiliary—G. A. R. Hall.
American Legion Auxiliary—Legion Hall.
Public Installation, Dixon Post G. A. R. and W. R. C.—K. C. Hall.

Wednesday

Ladies' Social Circle of Prairieville—Mrs. Ira Rutt.
Prairieville Social Circle—Mrs. Ira Rutt.
Ideal Club—Mrs. Robert Fulton, 324 N. Galena Ave.
Woman's Bible Class—E. Church—Mrs. C. M. Sworm, 61 E. Fellows St.
Section No. 6, M. E. Aid—Mrs. E. E. Mason, 214 Chamberlain St.

Thursday

Section No. 4 M. E. Aid Society—Mrs. Albert Scholl, 1306 W. Third St.
Sunshine Class, St. Paul's Church—Mrs. Cora George, 519 Crawford Ave.

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For 1922 promise yourself to be too strong for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, too happy for trouble. Live in faith that right and the good things in this good old world are on your side as long as you are true to the best that is in you.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The Missionary society of the Christian church held a meeting Thursday afternoon, Jan. 12, at the church.

The business meeting was opened with a hymn and a prayer was given by Mrs. Derr, followed by the minutes of the previous meeting.

The motion carried, to send a box of clothing to the Children's Home at St. Louis. All the ladies of the church are invited to assist in its preparation.

The program opened with the subject of "Japan," with the leader being Mrs. George Nettz.

The lesson study was from Mark and Acts.

The prayer was given by Rev. H. G. Waggoner, pastor of the church.

An exceedingly interesting paper on the life of Verbeck was given by Mrs. J. E. Rengas, and was greatly enjoyed.

A paper on the characteristics of the Japanese was given by Mrs. C. W. Johnson. The paper showed much study.

After a hymn a paper, "A Visit to Our Missions," by Mrs. Clark Rickard was given and much enjoyed. This was followed by the benediction.

VESPER SERVICE AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The vesper service at the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon was a most enjoyable service. Dr. Tidball's message was impressive and original. The choir under the direction of Elmer Rice gave a number of excellent numbers. Mr. Rice sang "The Holy City," beautifully with the choir joining in the chorus. Miss Marion Ahrens presided at the piano during this selection, with Miss Hintz, the organist at the pipe organ.

One of the features of the service was the singing by Miss Vivian Graves, a Dixon girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Graves. The first number Miss Graves sang, "Come Unto Me," by Coener, was greatly enjoyed and carried a message of rest and peace. But it was in the last number, "Fearless I'll Follow," a hymn solo, that the great beauty and strength of Miss Graves' voice was displayed. She sings with just the right depth of sympathy and expression, her beautiful voice surely carrying its message to the hearts of her listeners.

WOMAN'S BIBLE CLASS M. E. CHURCH

The Woman's Bible class of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. C. M. Sworm, 612 East Fellows street Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Members will please attend prepared to repeat the names of the books of the Bible to Joel.

STERLING CLUB LADIES GAVE SPLENDID LUNCHEON

One of the most successful luncheons of the season was given Thursday afternoon in Sterling by the social committee of the ladies of the Sterling Club.

Those on the reception committee were Mrs. A. Gordon Fowkes, Mrs. John Farrell, Mrs. Sim Coe, Mrs. John Stager and Mrs. Will Robinson.

The tables were most attractively decorated for the occasion, the color scheme of pink and green with lighted candles being effectively used throughout the dinner.

Seventy ladies enjoyed the luncheon, which was followed by playing "500" in the afternoon. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Chester Strock of Des Moines, Mrs. Smith of Morrison, Mrs. John Batchelder of Dixon, and Mrs. Harvey Keefe of Sparta, Wis.

FAREWELL SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and family were completely surprised on Thursday evening when fifty friends and neighbors gathered at their home. After the guests had all arrived and the surprise was complete, the evening was spent in music and in playing games, after which a delicious supper was served. Before the guests departed Mr. and Mrs. Williams were presented with a beautiful set of silver as a token of remembrance from their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Williams are leaving the first of February for their new home in South Dixon.

WRITE WORDS AND MUSIC OF SONG

Several years ago Major Harold Ward wrote several hundred ballads in collaboration with the late Arthur Gillespie, writer of "Absence Makes the Heart Grow Fonder," and other song hits. As a feature of "The Riot of 1922" Mr. Ward has written a ballad, "My Sweetheart of Days Gone By," which has been given a musical setting of unusual brilliancy by Earl E. Holdridge, director of the Sterling Military band. The song will be featured in "The Riot of 1922" by Miss Jane Ward—Sterling Gazette.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS TO MEET FOR DRILL WEDNESDAY

All officers and members of the drill team of the Royal Neighbors will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Union hall. It is important that all interested be present promptly as they will drill for installation of officers which will take place in conjunction with the Modern Woodmen Thursday evening, Jan. 19.

SUNSHINE CLASS TO MEET

The Sunshine class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet Thursday evening, Jan. 19th, at the home of Mrs. Cora George, 519 Crawford avenue. Mrs. George will be assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Jessie Rickey, Mrs. Edith Slothower, and Mrs. Margaret Peterson.

MISS HOBURG TO ASHTON FOR WEEK-END

Miss Pauline Hoburg has been spending the week-end with relatives in Ashton. She visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Boers, where on Friday evening Mrs. Boers entertained with a card party.

LADIES' AID SOCIETY, SEC. 6

Section No. 6 of the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. E. E. Mason, 214 Chamberlain street. Each member attending is requested to take with them a tea towel to hem for use at the church.

SECTION NO. 4, M. E. AID SOCIETY

Section No. 4 of the M. E. Aid society will meet with Mrs. Albert Scholl, 1306 W. Third street Thursday afternoon. A good attendance is desired.

MANY OF US ARE LIKE THAT

During an exciting baseball game one young man was doing a great deal of yelling. This seemed to annoy little Bob, who turned to the offender, saying, "You'd sound better if you kept still."

IF YOU ARE WELL BRED

You will attend, or send your card, when invited to a private musicale. You will always be punctual at theater, musical or card parties. You will not wait to be coaxed if you are proficient on the piano.

ENTERTAINED WITH OYSTER SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. George Huyett entertained with an oyster supper Friday evening in celebration of the 6th birthday of Mrs. J. H. Huyett and the 40th wedding anniversary of Mrs. Carrie Brink.

RETURNS TO PERU AFTER VISIT HERE

Mrs. John Hasselman has returned to Peru after a visit with her daughters, Mrs. S. C. Eastman and Mrs. H. W. Hartman.

ENTERTAINED AT A. E. MISSMAN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Yates were entertained Sunday at the A. E. Missman home in South Dixon.

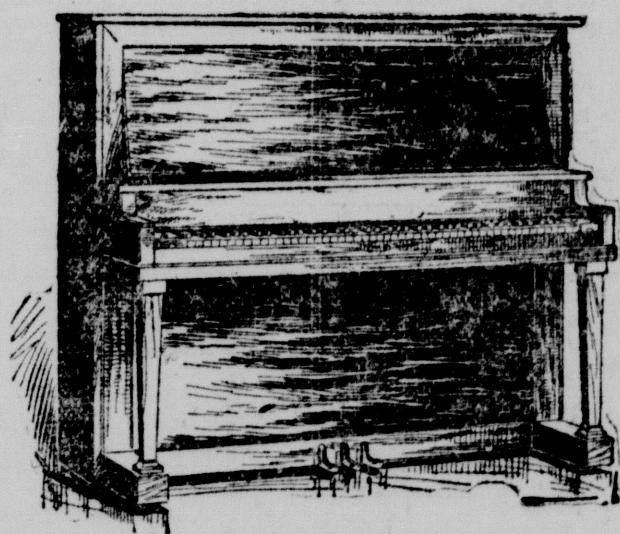
RETURNED TO CITY

Mrs. C. N. Mangan and little daughter have returned to their home in Chicago after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends here.



The beauty of your hair is a treasure that you should zealously guard. Let your vigilance guide you to this parlor where our hair dressing methods will improve the quality and abundance of your tresses.

Taylor's Beauty Shop
Phone 418
Dixon Nat'l Bank Bldg.



MILLER'S PIANO SALE CLOSES SATURDAY

Just a few days left to get a high grade Piano or Player at 50c on the dollar.

Theo. J. Miller & Sons

Cor. Galena Ave. and Second St.

500 PLAYER ROLLS, 5 FOR \$1.00

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER SUNDAY

Misses Helen and Mabel Williams entertained Sunday at a 6 o'clock dinner, Miss Margaret Bennett of the Bend, Miss Mabel Griesle and George Weyant of Dixon. After dinner the guests spent a social hour.

JOINT INSTALLATION TUESDAY EVENING

There will be a joint public installation of Dixon Post No. 299, G. A. R., and its Auxiliary, Dixon W. R. C. No. 218, at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening in K. C. hall.

PAIRIEVILLE SOCIAL CIRCLE

The Prairieville Social Circle will hold an all-day meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Ira Rutt. A scramble dinner will be served at noon. All the members are requested to attend.

IDEAL CLUB TO MEET

The Ideal club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Robert Fulton, 324 N. Galena avenue.

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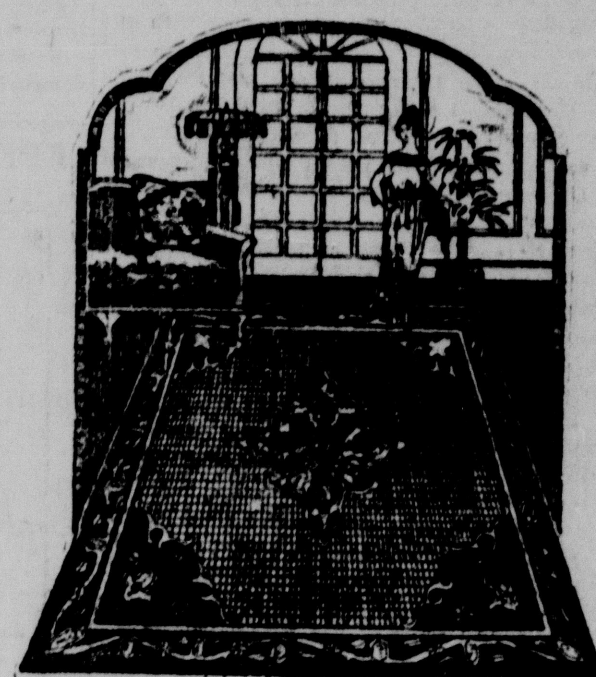
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HOOTCH

Twenty-four million quarts of
liquor were seized by federal prohibition
agents during 1921. Forty thousand
persons were arrested for illicit
liquor making or selling and \$12,000,-
000 in property was confiscated.

These figures put the lie to the
current saying that prohibition isn't
being enforced. The enforcement
isn't perfect, but it soon will be and
already is well on the way.

Much harder to get a drink now
than a year ago. Still harder, a year
hence. Real whisky, except on pre-
scription, will soon be worth its
weight in gold. John Barleycorn
joins opium.

STATE ROAD CONSTRUCTION

There should be a concerted movement
in this part of the state to push
the construction of state bond issue
roads. An able article in the Tri-
County Press of Polo, in commenting
on an editorial taken from the Rock-
ford Register-Gazette urging the
early building of the road from Dixon
to Freeport and also the road from
Dixon to Rockford, known as the
Black Hawk Trail, points out the
need of a concrete road from Dixon
to Freeport, and gives a rather qual-
ified support to the plan to push the
Black Hawk Trail construction.

Of course the Dixon-Freeport road
is highly essential. It is a strictly
north and south road and will be a
lateral between the Lincoln and the
Grant Highway, as well as the main
route for north and south traffic in
Illinois. We believe that if it is im-
possible to build both the Dixon-
Freeport road and the Black Hawk
Trail next year, that probably the
Dixon-Freeport road should come
first, but we fear we will have to
take issue with our good friend the
Polo editor on his statement that the
road between Rockford and Dixon,
the Black Hawk Trail, would be
purely a pleasure drive, and would
be "almost entirely for its scenic ef-
fect."

We wish to point out that the
Black Hawk Trail, following as it
does, the center of the Rock River
Valley, will connect communities
which are by nature closely related
through their common interests in
the Rock River Valley and which,
let it be noted, have no direct railway
connections whatever, making the
need for a good highway, passable all
the year around, very great. Fur-
thermore, the road of approximately
forty miles, between Dixon and Rock-
ford, will connect three county seats,
Dixon, Oregon and Rockford, and one
of the fundamental principles of the
state bond issue system is to build
roads that not only serve local com-
munities but also connect county
seats in adjoining counties.

The Black Hawk Trail has a great
deal of claim on early consideration
by the state highway department, for
its importance as a commercial route
is clearly established. The farmers in
the Rock River valley and the cities
and towns along the river, need the
artery of communication as many as
any other territory. Added to this is
its well recognized value as a route
of wonderful scenic beauty. No where
in the middle west is there a stretch
of country as beautiful as the Rock
River valley between Dixon and
Rockford. Good roads will make it
available to thousands of visitors who
will, in the aggregate, receive many
times the cost of the improvement in
the pleasure and the value of the trip
to them. The Black Hawk Trail must
be built soon and it must follow the
river road.

Rockford has suggested that park-
ways on the river, along the Black
Hawk Trail, should be secured and
would add to the value of the route.
The suggestion is a splendid one and
has already met with ready response
at this end of the trail. The strip of
land between the road and the river
bank, extending from near the upper
limits of Grand Detour to about

a mile above that village, is avail-
able for the parkway purposes and
The Telegraph is privileged to state
that when the proper time comes this
land can be secured for the public
good, for parkway purposes, as a free
gift from its public spirited owner.
We suggest that Oregon, Byron and
Rockford get busy and see if this sort
of thing can be duplicated at those
places.

As to the Dixon-Freeport route, its
claim of importance and value is in-
disputable and we hope that every
effort will be made to bring about the
construction of this pavement at the
earliest possible date.

FREAKS

Circus men say that the fat lady,
the midget, the human skeleton, the
sword-swallower and the human pin-
cushion have passed out. They no
longer appeal to the public.

A few decades ago, the side-show
freak was the talk and marvel of the
public. Not so now, and the side-show
men are bewildered.

They do not realize that astounding
mechanical inventions have usurped
the stage. If Barnum were alive to-
day, his side-show would have me-
chanical marvels instead of human
freaks.

People, formerly interested in the
human being, now are concentrated
on the human being's deeds.

ORDERS

A period of depression, such as we
have been passing through is like
damming up a river. Finally the dam
breaks and a flood of orders rushes
forth, providing plenty of jobs.

Railroads, for instance:

During 1921, they ordered only 19,-
850 freight cars, including foreign
orders, against a yearly average of
180,400 cars a year before the war.
Similarly, only 200 engines were or-
dered in 1921, against pre-war normal
of 3000 a year.

Railroading is not the only industry
that is behind on orders. When the
dam breaks, a boom will start. It's
beginning to break now.

RIDICULE

Philosophers frequently repeat that
ridicule is the greatest destroyer. For
instance, a politician may withstand
much analytical or reasoning attack,
but a touch of the right kind of ridi-
cule will put him on the defensive,
probably destroy him.

Ridicule, however, often is prop-
hetic.

All new things are ridiculed. The
elevated railroad was ridiculed by
some of the greatest railroad men.

The airplane was ridiculed in its in-
fancy.

Steel yourself against ridicule, if
you have a new idea or a new de-
vice. Ridicule is only a temporary
handicap.

BUBBLE

Prices and incomes weren't the
only bubbles blown during the war.

A census report shows that capital
invested in American manufacturing
in 1914 totaled \$22,790,950,000. It rose
to \$44,776,006,000 in 1919.

This was far out of line with the
growth of actual production, for pri-
mary horsepower of manufacturing
plants rose from 22,533,374 in 1914 to
only 29,573,207 in 1919.

One thing wrong with business in
this country is trying to earn profits
on twice as much capitalization as
pre-war. Maybe deflation will get
busy with capital when it finishes
with prices.

MISTAKE

Do you receive much business
mail? If so, you have noticed a
great increase in the use of rubber
stamps for signing letters.

The president of one of the large
corporations sent a New Year letter
to all his customers. It was a form
letter, but it was so cleverly han-
dled, wishing the recipient blessings
for 1922, that it had the personal
touch.

Then, at the bottom, the whole ef-
fect was ruined by the use of a rub-
ber stamp instead of signing in ink.
The personal touch in a business
transaction or letter is as valuable as
it is easily lost.

PROPHETIC

More than 400 years ago Leonardo
da Vinci, the Italian artist who paint-
ed "The Last Supper," invented a
submarine boat and recorded:

"How by a certain machine many
may stay some time under water.
And how and where I do not de-
scribe my method. And I do not
publish nor divulge these, by reason
of the evil nature of men, who would
use them for assassinations at the
bottom of the sea, by destroying ships
and sinking them, together with the
men in them."

Sounds as if it were written in 1922
instead of four centuries ago. Human
nature changes. Human devilishness
doesn't.

SPENDTHRIFT

Years ago, the Canadian govern-
ment gave a logging company a per-

BRINGING UP FATHER



BY DR. R. H. BISHOP

RURAL HEALTH

Common Sense Ways to Keep Well

It is pleasing to note that our law-
makers, both state and national, are
awakening to their responsibilities in
regard to public health.

Ohio's latest step in affiliation of
the Hughes-Griswold act, which gives
the state health commissioner ap-
pointment to improve the health of rural
communities, is hampered by political
influences.

Before enactment of the Hughes-
Griswold law the number of health
officers was assured by the number of
cities and villages and townships.

Too frequently the only considera-
tion for the appointment of such
health officers was that each town
and village was entitled to one. The
question of fitness or knowledge of
public health methods and procedure
was rarely considered in making the
appointment.

The act creates in each county a

general health district consisting of
all the villages and townships in the
county. The mayors of the villages
and the chairman of the township
trustees meet once a year and elect
members of the board of health.

This board of health consists of
five members, one of whom must be
a physician. The board of health se-
lects the district health commissioner,
who must be a physician.

The obstacle which has hitherto
prevented persons in rural communi-
ties from taking active interest in the
preservation of health has been the
lack of facilities for obtaining in-
formation.

One other thing which has deterred
them from taking active interest has
been their isolation, which has been
also their only protection from dis-
ease.

Berton Braley's Daily Poem
Went On Cutting Bread and Butter

He painted pictures, frivolous and
gay.

With deft and cunning ease, and
was content.

He was not eager to experiment
With art that should live longer
than a day.

"But wait," men said, "until upon
his way

He meets with love, and pain; his
heart shall vent

Its anguish, and his passion shall be
spent

On canvases that shall endure for
aye."

And sorrow came, and bitterness,
and pain,

The artist's soul was broken by his
woe

And all his rosy dreams were ashen
gray;

And then, because ambition seemed
but vain

And men must work, though all
their visions go—

He painted pictures, frivolous and
gay.

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mit to take 100,000 logs out of Ontar-

io. The company felled 800,000 and

took every third tree, the best.

Today, on a hunting trip up north,

you can see the largest of the 200,000

wasted trees slowly rotting on the

ground.

Seems like frightful waste. But,

comparing timber supply and needs

now with then, we moderns are

equally spendthrift with our rapidly

vanishing forests.

16 HOURS IN WRECK

LYONS, France — Pierre Laverie,

10 years old, lay for 16 hours under

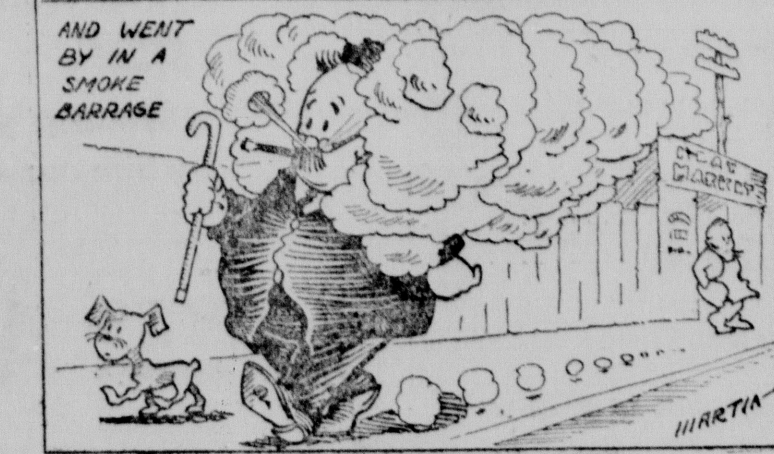
the wreckage of the Strasbourg-Ly-

ons express near here before he was

extricated. He was uninjured.

EFFICIENCY ED

BY MARTIN



CONFESSIONS OF A MOVIE STAR

CHAPTER LXXIII.

I RECEIVE A CALL FROM DICK.

Seven days dragged by—days of
doubt and dread.

From Dick Barnes I heard daily.
Once came a bunch of violets, out of
season and hard to obtain. And once
came a letter from him to Motherdear
which depressed me. One paragraph
ran:

"I never trusted the big cat. I never
trusted Elsa. She was too confi-
dent and set on managing the beasts
in her own way. I should have found
out whether or not she had tied her
precious Gaius and given the old girl
the dope. And now—I can never for-
give myself!"

Dick wanted to see me. I knew
why. It was not like him to believe
the talk of the studios. He would
want to see me and make his own de-
cision about my condition. He would
get whatever truth Motherdear pos-
sessed.

He came by appointment I wore the
pretty invalid's negligee in which I had
received Cissy. I sat in the same
chair, I played with my bouquet. But
somehow when I heard a man's step
in the room, I felt an electric element
in the situation which the other had
lacked.

"May!" Dick cried out, exactly as
Cissy had done but in what a shocked
and sympathetic tone! It thrilled me,
made me feel sorry for myself! Tears
came, and a wave of color spread over
my face. And I was glad that my
features were covered by medicated
cotton.

"May! It's so much worse—" Dick
stopped as if that were quite the
wrong speech to make to me. "The
bandages—your eyes—when will you

see?" he demanded.

"Perhaps not at all! Perhaps—never
again!"

At that, the most astonishing thing
happened. The man was on the knees
at my side. I felt his forehead on my
arm, his tears wet my hand.

"As for the bandages—it may be as
well if I never take them off," I con-
tinued.

"What do you mean?"

"That I may look better—with a
white mask!"

"What they say at the studios—is
true?" he whispered.

"It may be!"

"Then you may never see again?"

"Possibly!"

"May, you'll need a man to take
care of you!"

When Cissy was with me the last
time, I had awfully independent. Blind
or not, I felt capable of managing my
own affairs.

With Jimmy Alcott shedding tears
on my hand, I lost my morale. But
what I so lost, I gained in femininity!

"I—I might—need a man to take
care of me—whether I can blind or
not!" I ventured.

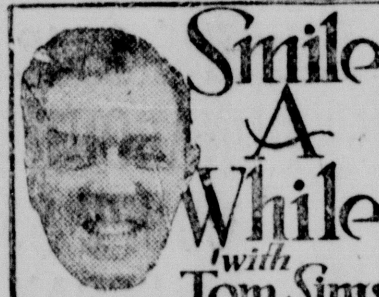
"May! May! Are you well enough to
let me talk to you seriously?"

"Yes! Yes!" I whispered eagerly and
then with forced reserve: "There's
nothing the matter with my nerves,
and in spite of my scars. I can still
hear! Talk on—Jimmy!"

There was a long pause. I let the
minutes drag. It was Dick's turn to
talk. If he had any ideas about the
kind of man I needed to protect me, I
wished to hear them.

(To Be Continued.)

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Would you call the fight on poison
liquor a "safety" move?

Banks say the new dollars won't
stack up. The old ones didn't.

Health hint: Always laugh when
the boss tells a joke.

Maybe Will Hays will have charge
of the movie mail robbers?

Some men expect a girl to buy \$5
stockings and wear long skirts.

With freedom won, the Irish people
want to stop picking fights and start
fighting picks.

Perhaps business doesn't come back
because it hasn't the railroad fare.

Grounds for divorce are frequently
bottle grounds.

The small boy thinks sister covers
her ears to keep from washing them.

Very few married men can drive
an auto with one hand.

"Politicians are scarce," says a
writer. We heard one was born every
minute.

All was fair in love and war, but
the peace parley changed it in war.

Fine motto: Don't look for wider
fields until you cultivate those you
have.

There is always room for another
rumor.

Reformers have invented a new
dance. All they need now is to in-
vent a new girl to dance it.

About the scariest thing on earth
are ex-movie stars.

"We only work three hours a day,"
says a senator. We can all be glad
they don't work six.

When a poor man gets married he
knows it is for love.

The flapper thinks a grand piano
is one that plays by pushing a button.

Mary Garden's life has been threat-
ened. Some neighbors can't distin-
guish between good singers and bad
singers.

Cheer up! The first three months
are the coldest.

Soldiers were first paid for their
services during the days of ancient
Rome.

LEARN A WORD
EVERY DAY

Today's word is DEBILITATE.

It is pronounced—de-bill-i-tayt
with accent on the second syllable.

It means—to weaken.

It comes from—Latin—"debilitas,"
weakness.

Companion words—debilitation, de-
bilitant.

It is used like this—"Overwork and
overeating debilitate the body."

LOW

You have an "off day" occasionally.

You look around, notice that every
one acts as if he needed winding.

Then the old alibi: "Folks all seem
sort of low today. Must be the
weather."

On such days, the current called
life-force is low.

Something is wrong at the central
power house.

A THOUGHT
FOR TODAY

Therefore to him that knoweth to
do good, and doeth it not, to him it is
sin.—James 4:7.

With the golden levers of love and
light

I would lift the world and when,

Through a path with kindly deeds

made bright,

I come to the calm of the star-lit
night.

Let me rest in peace. Amen.

—Nixon Waterman.

Cats often live from 10 to 15 years.

TRANSFERRING THE CHAMPIONSHIP



The STEP on the STAIRS

by
ISABEL
OSTRANDER

I. Professor Semyonov, the celebrated chemist whose profound knowledge of toxicology had more than once been placed at the disposal of the authorities in the solution of crime, tucked at his bushy white side-whiskers and gazed at Sergeant John Barry from the Homicide Bureau.

The professor's head with its shock of white hair nodded slowly and his shrewd eyes twinkled.

"You tell me that there is now calmness upon the waters?" No crime of more importance than the average petty misdemeanor engages the attention of your bureau? Is that why you have honored me tonight with an unexpected but most welcome call, and in your civilian clothes?"

"You've got me, Professor Semyonov!" The detective laughed again. "There's no crime wave threatening to break over us that I know of, but a rather curious case has come to our attention at headquarters."

The roll of distant but approaching thunder broke in upon his words.

"We are going to have a storm." The professor rose from his chair and waddling over to the windows pulled down the shades. He moved with astonishing rapidity and vigor.

"I do not like to watch it approach; it fills me with a sense of suspense, of foreboding. It is the electricity in the air, I suppose. You shall tell me about your case, but first you must see my apartment. My laboratories are quite on the other side of the city, you know, but here on this old square where the aristocracy of forgotten generations lived once upon a time I find the absolutely different atmosphere which brings relaxation."

Barry followed his host through a spacious, old-fashioned dressing room and bath to the bedroom at the back. Here, too, the professor paused to pull down the shades and then opening a door at the right displayed a modern kitchenette.

"This house, you perceive, must once have been a family mansion, but it has now been made over, an apartment to each floor," Professor Semyonov explained. "A shop of hammer-edged grasses and other atrocities occupies the street level, a young gentleman whom I do not know has but lately arrived on the second floor. His apartment is larger than mine, however, for an extra room is built out over the strip of garden but the extension on the floor above his in a studio with a skylight. It is occupied, that third floor, by a woman who paints portraits, Mrs. McGrath tells me."

"The fourth apartment, that directly below mine here, houses a crochety gentleman with no ear for music; he raps on his ceiling when I play my violin at unreasonable hours. Above me in an attic studio lives one of the feminine freaks peculiar to the neighborhood in its declining years; a smoked, thin, wraith, like creature with bobbed hair and a pointed chin, and it is understood that she writes for the eccentric little magazines which spring up sporadically hereabout. So now, my dear sergeant, you are acquainted with my home and its surroundings. What do you think of it?"

He chuckled as he led the way back to the living room and Barry followed, at a loss what to reply. The

professor was known on three continents, his scientific discoveries had made him rich; he might have lived in solitary state in a house of his own or occupied the most expensive bachelor apartment in town. Why had he chosen to hide himself away in such a dingy, dreary quarters?

"You seem to be mighty comfortable, Professor Semyonov." The detective spoke as heartily as he could and his host laughed outright. "That is the point!" he exclaimed. "I saw that you were surprised when you came, but my wants are simple and here, you see, I am just a queer, old foreigner named Semyonov, who minds his business and goes his way in peace; I am not Professor Semyonov, the chemist, to whose laboratories all the world comes. No one knows of my abode except the few like yourself to whom I have given my address and I am undisturbed. But now you must tell me about your case. Is it an affair of poisoning?"

Before Sergeant Barry could reply another flash of lightning as keen as a knife thrust swept beneath the



HIS EYES TRAVELED TO THE FOOT OF THE EASEL AND TO WHAT LAY THERE.

edges of the window shades and for an instant the electric lights into an angry orange glow.

Professor Semyonov started, then shrugged.

"That was nearer, eh? I am as bad perhaps as a hysterical housemaid but does it not seem as though the very atmosphere waited for the breaking of the storm?"

"It is like the report of guns!" The professor pulled his worn, gorgeously hued dressing gown more closely about him as he sank once more into his chair. "I have heard them in my own country many years before the late war and the memory of them is with me always. But let us forget the storm if we can. The case you mentioned; is it murder?"

"Frankly, I don't know," Barry responded. "It is similar to that Tudor

KEMP'S BALSAM
for that COUGH!

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16 oz. marshmallow creme for cake filling	25c	50 ft. cotton clo. line	15c
Potted hyacinth bulbs, will bloom in 4 weeks	15c	Sifted Early June peas	30c
5 qt. tin pudding pans	10c	Table oil cloth, yard	10c
6 qt. dairy pans only	10c	Highest grade chocolate, lb.	10c
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17 qt. tin dish pans	25c	Sun Maid seedless raisins, lb.	22c
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Large hickory nuts, 7c lb. Amboy milk, 10 cans 95c. Small ivory soap, 4 for 50c. Beach's white napha soap, 5c. 1 lb. can Franklin Mac. baking powder, 19c.

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affair at Sandy Cove last summer—

A sudden, sharp detonation burst crackling upon their ears and both men leaped to their feet and stood for the fraction of a second staring at each other. The professor's nervousness had fallen from him and he spoke with the calmness of fatalism: "There was no lightning. That was no thunder, but a shot! Come!"

The realization of the truth had pierced the detective's consciousness even before his host voiced it and he sprang for the door. As he flung it open, with the rotund figure in the tattered dressing gown close at his heels, he heard unmistakably the sound of hurrying footsteps below and plunged for the head of the stairs.

"The narrow hall was but dimly lighted and in the unnatural silence which followed the echo of the shot, their feet as they clattered down the matting-covered stairs drowned out the lesser sound which had come up to them."

The hallway directly below was deserted and the door leading into the apartment was closed and blank. Professor Semyonov paused to hammer upon it but Barry hastened on downward, his eyes striving to pierce the gloom. Was that fleeing figure below his or just his own distorted shadow advancing before his reckless descent?

On the third floor he halted. The door of this apartment also, which his host had told him was occupied by a woman portrait painter, was closed, but from the line of the sill streamed a peculiar, bright light like a beam of sunshine. The professor ceased his fruitless efforts and rejoined his companion just as there came a soft thud and then from the street level a violent ringing and pounding.

"Perhaps we were mistaken," Barry remarked. "It might have been a fracas out in the street—"

The professor shook his head decidedly and then pointed to the line of light from beneath the door before them.

"Someone is in here, at any rate. We will knock."

Suiting his action to the word, he rapped smartly, waited, and rapped again, but there came no response, only the steady glare of that garish light and the banging from the entrance on the ground floor.

Professor Semyonov shrugged and turned to descend still further, but the sergeant grasped his arm.

"That's only someone who heard what we did—the officer on this beat, perhaps—and wants to investigate. Let him wait. If anything is wrong in this house it is behind that door! I'm going to assume responsibility for breaking it in, professor. Stand back!"

The door itself was a massive one but the lock evidently old and flimsy and at his third onslaught it snapped with such suddenness that he was almost precipitated into the apartment.

A single glance sufficed to show the outlines of daintily carved furniture and cushions scattered about in profusion by an obviously feminine hand but the room was empty and its only illumination was that strange ray of counterfeit sunlight which streamed



Who remembers when obscure women smoked? "Won't they ever quit asking for money?" said Tilford Moots, today, when he heard their wuz goin' to be a fox drive.

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through an opened door in the opposite wall, a door which led evidently to that studio built out over the strip of garden of which the professor had spoken.

The still, heated air was heavy with a subtle, cloying perfume but mingled with it was a harsh, acrid odor that was not new to the detective and he sprang across to the doorway of the studio and then paused.

Facing him upon a large easel was the portrait of a woman in a gray evening gown poised on the third step of a staircase with one slippered foot slightly advanced and a hand of startling whiteness upon which a huge emerald blazed rested on the dark, polished wood of the balustrade. The painting was only half finished, but it was indicated in broad splashes of color and with the bold, sweeping lines of the cartoonist which rendered the likeness unmistakable to anyone familiar with the lineaments of those in the city's highest society.

All this Barry took in with one darting glance and then his eyes traveled to the foot of the easel and what lay there. It was the huddled body of a woman with masses of tawny hair scarcely disheveled by her fall and a spreading stain upon the breast of her paint-daubed smock.

Kneeling beside it he gently raised

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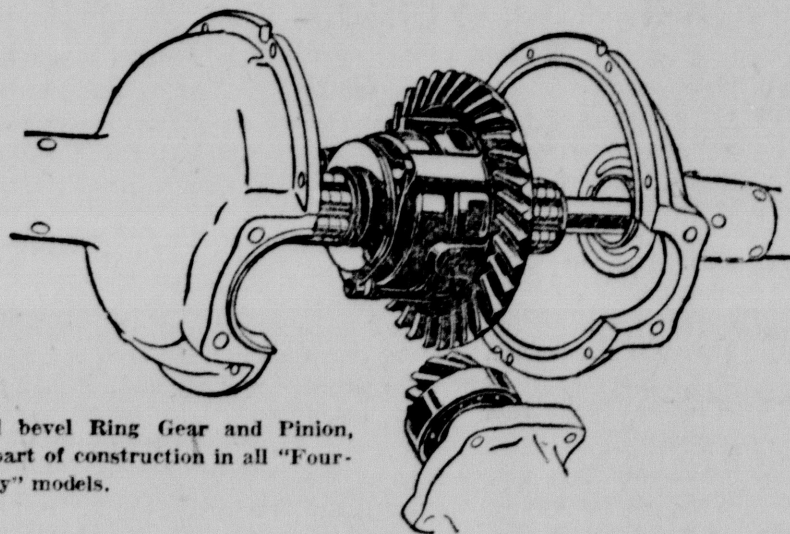
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the head, which rolled backward in his hands and the curiously long, narrow, half-opened eyes stared up suddenly into his with a dull, unwinking gaze.

"Dead!" the professor announced beside him. "She was at work when the shot pierced her breast. See, her thumb is still thrust through the palette and the maulstick and brush have but just fallen from her hands."

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WOMEN BANDITS CAUGHT.
VLADIVOSTOK.—Ten women bandits from the former Russian Women's Legion and 10 men have been captured by detectives here after 300 militiamen had failed to round them up. Kidnaping of a priest and wives of several public officials is charged to them.

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Garden of Eden is generally believed to have been in the valley of the Euphrates.

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DINNER GOWN.

This delightful little dinner frock of peach crepe chiffon pointed drape overskirt, picot edged with silver metal thread. A garland of velvet flowers forms the girdle.

Definitions of Colors

ELEPHANT'S BREATH—Combined taupe and purple. Usually seen in the heavier woolen materials, and quite as uninviting as it sounds.

Fuchsia—One of the high notes in the color scheme of the season. It includes all the colorings of the fuchsia flower from definite purple to deep red. Millinery shops feature it continuously. It is shown in wondrous velvets and silks and it fashions many of the smartest frocks that are being worn.

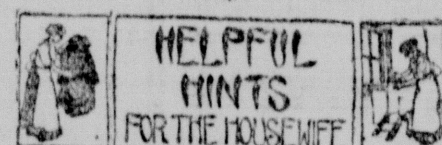
French Flame—Which appears to be different from other flames, since it includes much pink, yellow and a hint of peach. It is very new and equally beautiful.

Gris—One of the many, many shades of gray. It is closely akin to platinum, but without its sheen.

Gladia—An exquisite pink. There is no color more charming in sheer linens or organdies. It has had many enthusiastic devotees from the moment of its first appearance.

Geranium—Red, of course, but a warm, glowing red. A theater gown seen recently of geranium red velvet needed no ornament to achieve ultra distinction.

Honeydew—No, it is not a melon. It is a marvelous combination of orange and pink, with a gleam of silver. Honeydew made its debut under the chaparrone of the sweater family, but it is now shown in many materials.



ONE OF THE NEWEST PARISIAN COIFFURES AND A BLACK VELVET FROCK. Photo by Underwood.

NEWEST STYLE.

Here is a purely Parisienne mannequin coiffed a la mode and wearing a new frock that is a bit different.

A worn-out sheet that has been previously dipped in very strong blueing water.

Clothes becoming yellow from iron rust in the water may be successfully whitened by soaking well in soap suds and hanging, still dripping wet, upon the line to dry. Repeated several times, it is found to be a most satisfactory method.

When wall paper is soiled rub it over gently with a sponge that has absorbed as much clean bran as possible. Though the sponge be dry the

DANCE FROCK.

A gay debutante frock of tomato red and gold shot taffeta, with scalloped skirt, which is very short. It has quite a bit of the hoop skirt in its suggestion.

(COURTESY PHILADELPHIA RECORD.)

Hot Off the Griddle

Bread Crumb Griddle Cakes.
Soak one cupful of bread crumbs in two and a quarter cupfuls of buttermilk for two hours and add one teaspoonful of melted butter, one beaten egg, one tablespoonful of sugar, half a teaspoonful of salt and half a cupful of bread flour, sifted with half a teaspoonful of baking soda. Beat well and fry as for ordinary griddle cakes.

Rice Griddle Cakes.
Stir into two and a half cupfuls of hot, cooked rice, half a teaspoonful of salt, two and a half cupfuls of milk and a tablespoonful of sugar. Cool, add the beaten yolks of two eggs and two and a half cupfuls of flour, sifted with five teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Beat the batter hard, fold in the stiffly whipped egg whites and cook in the usual way. These are delicious with melted currant jelly.

Flannel Cakes.
Mix together one quart of scalded and cooled milk, half a yeast cake, dissolved in a little tepid water, one teaspoonful of salt and sifted flour to make a good batter. Let rise over night. In the morning add one tablespoonful of melted shortening and two lightly beaten eggs. Bake on a hot greased griddle.

Old-Fashioned Buckwheat Cakes.
Mix together one quart of buckwheat flour, one teaspoonful of salt, half a cupful of cornmeal, half a cake of compressed yeast, dissolved in three tablespoonfuls of tepid water, two tablespoonfuls of dark molasses and lukewarm water enough to make a thin batter. Beat well and set in a warm room to rise over night. In the morning beat in a quarter of a teaspoonful of baking soda, dissolved in a tablespoonful of hot water, and bake on a lightly greased griddle.

bran will remove the dirt, all but greasy stains. These can be removed by means of blotting paper and a warm iron.

Cut hairs may be kept from moulting if the ends are moistened with vinegar each time after cutting.



Dinner Frock of Peach Pink Chiffon.—Copyright, Chas. A. Stevens & Bros. Photo by Underwood.

Let the Kiddies Settle Their Own Quarrels

It all happened one day between the little folk in the kindergarten room, but it set the older folk to thinking.

Kindergarten had not yet started, and Tim, a little fellow of three and a half, walked over and took the only chair that Clifton, aged five and a half, had placed beside the table for work. When Clifton realized what had happened, a tug of war began, and the two children were soon joined by others most of them to aid little Tim. The kindergarten teacher stopped what she was doing and gave her attention to the group and, although she might have stepped over and put an end to the struggle, she only stood by and watched.

It looked as though the trouble would never end, and as though some

one might be hurt; but still she did not interfere; she only looked on, ready, however, to take a hand if it became necessary.

At last one of the older boys was called to help. He studied the situation, observed that the fuss was over an oak chair, and that there was one more oak chair in the room; he solved the problem by offering the vacant chair to little Tim, and all was settled to every one's satisfaction. The teacher heaved a sigh of relief, and gave a smile of approval; it was a step in the children's development, one well worth while.

Why can't children settle more of their own disputes? Isn't it because we interfere too soon instead of giving them a chance to work out their problems for themselves?

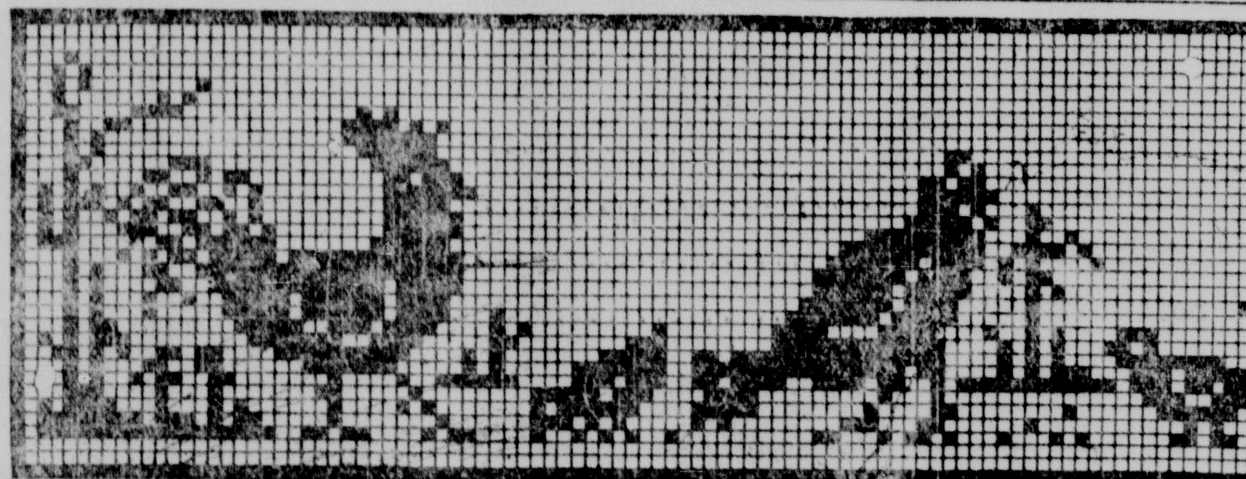
than evening dresses (slightly), and the waistline will be lower—scarcely perceptible for those who can endure that.

Materials, he declares, will be soft and light, self colored mostly. The slender woman who does not wear corsets will be best able to carry off the newest frocks. Panniers will disappear and long, graceful lines will be emphasized where they exist, or created where they do not. Fuchsia and black, he says, will be the favorite colors with brocade for evening wraps—sans fur and feathers.

Callot makes charming evening gowns entirely of cloth of gold, combining with it gold tulle and black velvet.

The new spring evening capes are the loveliest ever, and the interesting point is that they are very long, frequently touching the floor. They are made of the richest materials, wonderfully combined.

Jenny has a great fancy for using a broad back panel of gorgeous brocade, to which are joined the front pieces made in a plain satin which she elaborately embroiders at the bottom in a pattern exactly matching that of the brocade. She has lovely cakes of this kind made in black and gold brocade joined to plain black satin on which the embroidery repeats exactly the pattern of the brocade. It is a fascinating idea and one of which only a clever Parisian dressmaker could conceive.



Crochet Design for Children's Dress

The Dance Demands the Simple Dress

MPOIRET says the dancing craze, here and in Paris, is influencing the fashions very greatly, demanding simplicity and arrangements which enable ease of action. He says the extreme décollete will be abandoned (for this gives thanks—many women could not stand it very well), and that dresses will be worn a little longer—say three inches higher than the ankle-bone. Hard lines will be hidden by hems dressed in tulle, or lace, or other soft material. Day dresses are to be shorter

New Business Open to Women

NOW women have invaded another field, heretofore open only to men.

It is that of credits.

So thoroughly has credits been a man's game in the past that the organization of credit workers which has grown up nationally and has branches in 130 cities is known as the National Association of Credit Men.

And now women are being accepted as members of this association.

For instance, in Cleveland the asso-

ciation numbers 1,400 members and 20 of these are women. Not a large percentage, to be sure, and one which may never be greatly increased, but it shows the trend of the times.

Some of these women members are assistant credit managers and their superiors—the credit managers themselves—are men. But there are some important instances where the entire credit policy of the house concerned is in the hands of a woman credit manager.

Not only have women invaded the field of credits and the membership of the association so that they attend the regular meetings, educational classes and other activities, but these 20 credit women of Cleveland have also formed an informal social club and during the past Summer they conducted several enjoyable outings, in some of which they let the men participate—not the credit men, but their own individual "gentlemen friends."

Icing for Cake

Take one and a half cups of sugar, three-fourths cup cold water, whites of two eggs, one-eighth of teaspoon salt, one teaspoon vanilla. Put cold water on sugar and boil briskly until it will spin a thread, or hair, it is sometimes called. When the sugar is about half done, beat egg whites to a soft froth. When sugar is done pour slowly over the whites, beating constantly, and after all of the sugar is in, continue beating until it becomes thick, and when dropped from the spoon it breaks, does not pour in one continuous stream. Add vanilla and when thick put over cake. Pour generous over top, spread with the back of the spoon to the edges, then smooth the sides with a knife. After once leaving the top never touch again. Any defects will show less than ugly strokes. If the icing is too thin re-cook over steam by placing the bowl over a saucepan of boiling water. Do not let the bowl touch the water. Stir, but do not scrape any hard crust

Seeker for Truth Arrives at Doubt, Receives Nobel Prize

THE greatest literary honor in the world, which was established as an annual award by Dr. Alfred Nobel, the inventor of dynamite, has been awarded to France's genial wielder of intellectual dynamite, Jacques Anatole Thibault, known to the readers of literature as Anatole France.

The story of this strange Frenchman, who began life in a bookstore and who touches, today, the highest rungs of the ladder of international recognition, is a story such as is possible only when it is written about a Frenchman.

He has tried out everything intellectual in his quest for truth—and has arrived at doubt. He has plunged into the seething caldrons of French politics and curdled the soup with his caustic yet playful irony. He has been pursued by brickbats and clamorous epithets of the mob, and by the savage, exasperating inkspots of the critics, and his response has always been—laughter; laughter that has proved far-echoing, discomforting, devastating.

"L'Affaire Dreyfus."
Anatole France was little known in Paris, until the famous "Affaire Dreyfus." This was an attempt on the part

of the government military caste to make an innocent Jewish army officer a scapegoat upon whom their antipathy toward the Jews and toward the forces favoring decent, honest, public administration might be wrecked.

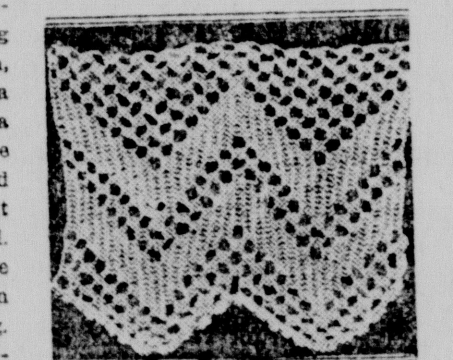
In the battle which ensued Anatole France participated with all his shrewd intellectual power. It was then late in the last century, and he had written many books, but these had appealed mostly to the few lovers of fine literature. His pure, lucid style and his biting irony had made little head-possible only when it is written about a Frenchman.

But his place in the ranks of the "Dreyfusards" seared his name into the public mind. What his actions started to do his pamphlets on the Dreyfus trial succeeded in finishing.

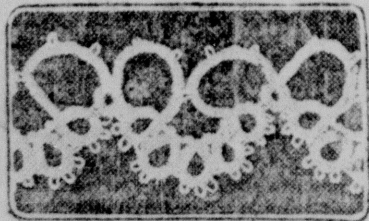
He makes no boast of his doubts about whatever subject he is handling. In fact, with a whimsical logic, he insists that there is considerable doubt about his own conclusions and opinions and beliefs.

In literature he is an exquisite master. No writer of note in his own country or abroad equals the limpid beauty of his literary style, its disarming simplicity of manner, its biting good humor, even when delivering the sharpest thrusts.

Fish may be scaled much easier if first dipped into boiling water for a minute.



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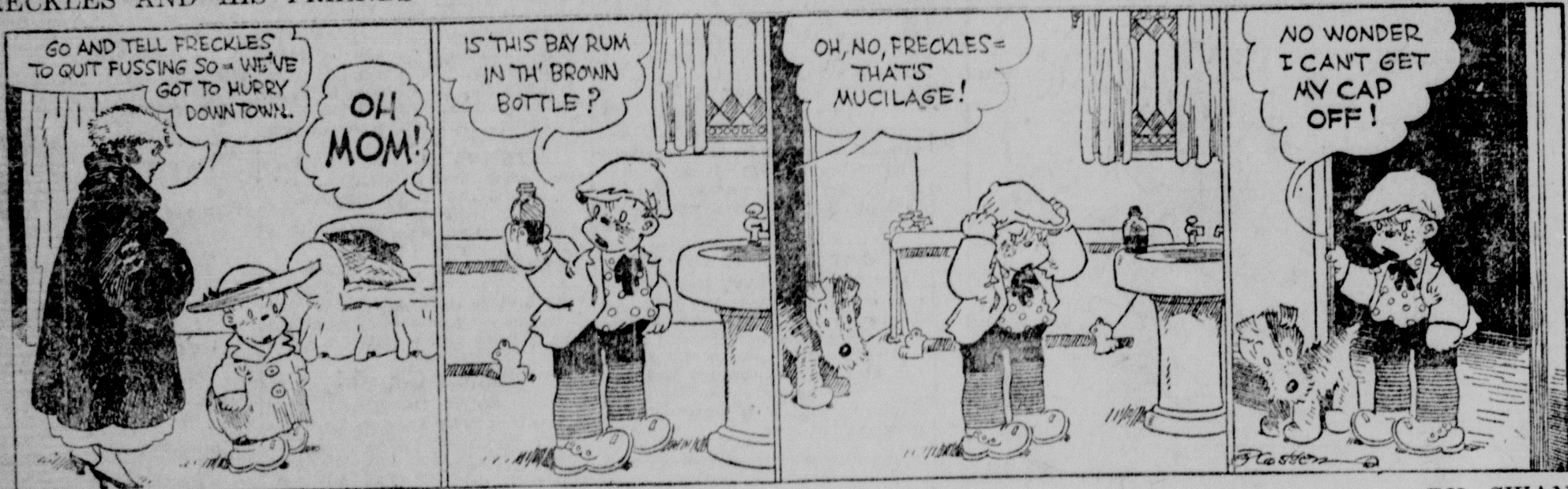
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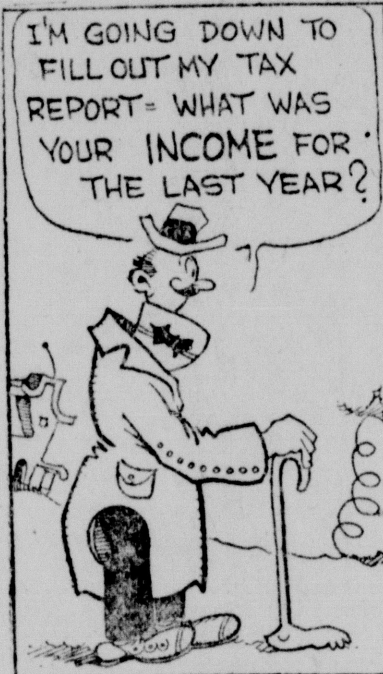
OUR BOARDING HOUSE

BY GROVE



THE NUT BROTHERS

(Ches & Wal)



Burch Jury Said to Stand 10 to 2 for Conviction of Man

Los Angeles, Jan. 14.—The fate of Arthur C. Burch on trial for the last eight weeks for the alleged murder of John Belton Kennedy was still in suspense today when the jury, locked up for the night after more than four hours of deliberations, prepared for another attempt to reach a verdict. The jury, composed of 10 women and 2 men, went out at 3:57 p. m. yesterday and was in the jury room until 10:15 p. m., with the exception of an hour and a half taken for dinner. Shortly before 10 o'clock Judge Sidney N. Roove, directed the jurors be taken to a hotel for the night. Rumors about the Hall of Justice were that the jury stood 10 to 2, with the majority adverse to the defendant.

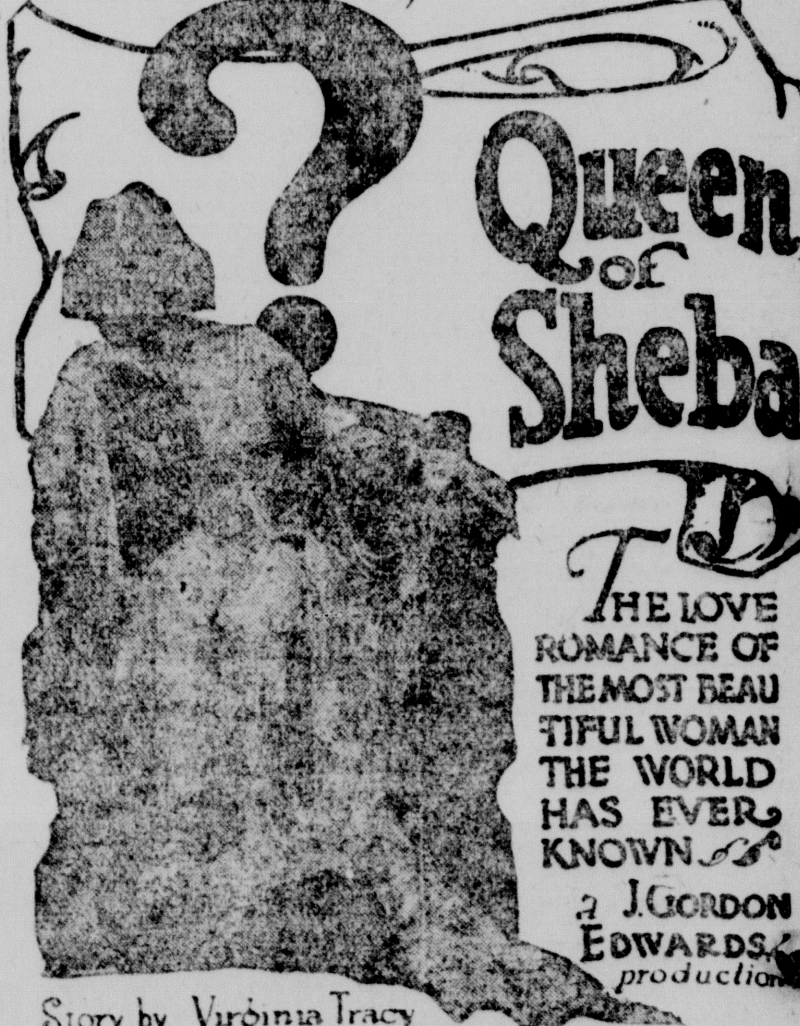
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